

Docket No. 239953US0X

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Ulrich MUELLER, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/611,863

FILED: July 3, 2003

FOR: PROCESS FOR THE ALKOXYLATION OF MONOOLS IN THE PRESENCE OF METALLO-ORGANIC FRAMEWORK MATERIALS



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SIR:

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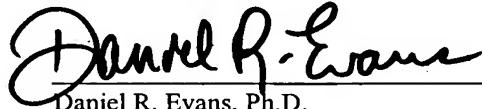
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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated June 29, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.